FISCAL NOTE

HJR 131

March 9, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Urges increased funding for early childhood educational programs.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Other Fiscal Impact – To the extent the FY06 recommended budget is approved, state expenditures would increase by \$25.0 million. This would be funded from recurring excess net education lottery proceeds in the Lottery for Education Account after higher education lottery scholarships have been funded.

Assumptions:

- \$10.0 million in state funds were appropriated for early childhood programs for FY05.
- \$25.0 million has been included in the recommended FY06 budget.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director